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SUBJ: MEAT INSPECTION

REF: WELLINGTON 0169

1. PLEASE INFORM MR. JOHN MCNAB, DIRECTOR, MEAT DIVISION THAT DR. E.J. FULLERTON, DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR, FIELD OPERATIONS, MPI, APHIS, REQUESTS HE REMOVE ESTABLISHMENT MPH-11, MEAT PACKERS (NZ) LTD. WANGANUI, NEW ZEALAND, FROM U.S. APPROVED LIST EFFECTIVE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JANUARY 18, 1974. FOLLOWING HIS JANUARY 17 REVIEW OF PLANT, DR. P.T. WATTS, APHIS, ISSUED A PRODUCT SEGREGATION LETTER TO MR. MCNAB. HIS REPORT INDICATES PLANT DOES NOT MEET U.S. STANDARDS IN FOLLOWING RESPECTS:

A. SINGLE STANDARD OF INSPECTION NOT BEING MAINTAINED THROUGHOUT PLANT.

B. SANITATION OF EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES UNACCEPTABLE.

C. PROCESSING OPERATIONS CONDUCTED IN IMMEDIATE ENVIRONMENT OF FLAKING PAINT, MOLD, RUST, CORROSION CONDENSATE.

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D. TRANSPORT SOilage AND DRESSING DEFECTS ON SWINE CARCASSES.

2. WHEN ABOVE CONDITIONS HAVE BEEN EFFECTIVELY CORRECTED, PLANT
MAY BE RECERTIFIED TO UNITED STATES.

3. PLEASE CABLE APhi/USDA WHEN MESSAGE DELIVERED. KISSINGER

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